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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hans-Peter Josel et al.

Serial No:

09/801,157

Filed:

March 7, 2001

For: Oligomeric Carrier Molecules

with Defined Incorporated Marker Groups and Haptens Examiner: Steven C. Tizio

Group Art Unit: 1627

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents- - -- Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated January 22, 2002 for a period of 3 months.

Applicant is:

a small entity, verified statement is:

other than small entity

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Extension <u>Months</u>	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity
One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110.00 \$400.00 \$920.00 \$1,440.00 \$1,960.00	\$55.00 \$200.00 \$460.00 \$720.00 \$980.00

Fee Payment

\boxtimes	Attached is a check for \$920 for the Petition fee.
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this
	Petition is attached.
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 16, 2002

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